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**Patent**

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please replace paragraph [0001] on page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

[0001] The present invention incorporates by reference U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/420,757, filed October 24, 2002 ~~[[2003]]~~ and entitled "Compositions, Organisms and Methodologies Employing a Novel Human Phosphatase."